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 Π Anti-tumor effect of in vivo IL-2 and GM-CSF electrogene therapy in murine hepatoma model

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SO Anticancer Research (2003), 23(1A), 315-321 CODEN: ANTRD4; ISSN: 0250-7005

PB International Institute of Anticancer Research

DT Journal

LA English

AB The authors evaluated the effect of in vivo electrogene therapy (EGT), a newly-developed gene transfer method using electroporation on the induction of anti-cancer immunity. The in vivo EGT was carried out by direct injection of plasmid ***DNAs*** encoding mouse interleukin-2 (IL-2) and granulocyte-macrophage colony-stimulating factor (GM-CSF) in a s.c. murine hepatoma model of 1MEA.7R.1 cells. Six elec. pulses were generated in situ from a square-wave electroporator fitted with a ***circular*** , six-needle electrode ***array*** 1MEA.7R.1 cells in vitro were modified to secrete IL-2 (1MEA.7R.1/IL-2 cells). The 1MEA.7R.1/IL-2 cells had a similar cell doubling-time as their parent cells but showed a much slower growth rate in Balb/C mice. One, or 3 rounds of single gene EGT with IL-2 gene showed a dose-responsive effect of growth retardation. Co-administration of 3 rounds of IL-2/GM-CSF double gene EGT had a stronger growth inhibition effect than 3 rounds of IL-2 single gene EGT. Three rounds of IL-2/GM-CSF EGT rendered the tumor to a growth rate of stably transfected 1MEA.7R.1/IL-2 cells. Seven rounds of IL-2/GM-CSF EGT markedly inhibited the tumor growth. Reverse transcriptasepolymerase chain reaction confirmed the expression of IL-2, GM-CSF and interferon-.gamma. within treated tumors. Systemic inhibitory effects can be demonstrated from tumor-re-challenged expts. on mice which received 3 rounds of double-gene EGT. The T cell proliferation assay revealed an increased T cell proliferation in double-gene EGT-treated mice. This expt. showed that partial systemic immunity can be provoked by IL-2/GM-CSF double-gene EGT. These findings suggest that the immuno-gene therapy protocol has the potential for future din. applications.

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L7 ANSWER 2 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 2002:735332 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>> DN 138:34036
TI Acetylation of histone H4 by Esa1 is required for

DNA double-strand break repair

AU Bird, Alexander W.; Yu, David Y.; Pray-Grant, Marilyn G.; Qiu, Qifeng; Harmon, Kirsty E.; Megee, Paul C.; Grant, Patrick A.; Smith, M. Mitchell; Christman, Michael F.

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SO Nature (London, United Kingdom) (2002), 419(6905), 411-415 CODEN: NATUAS; ISSN: 0028-0836

PB Nature Publishing Group

DT Journal

LA English

Although the acetylation of histones has a well-documented regulatory role in transcription, its role in other chromosomal functions remains largely unexplored. Here we show that distinct patterns of histone H4 acetylation are essential in two sep. pathways of double-strand break repair. A budding yeast strain with mutations in wild-type H4 acetylation sites shows defects in nonhomologous end joining repair and in a newly described pathway of replication-coupled repair. Both pathways require the ESA1 histone acetyl transferase (HAT), which is responsible for acetylating all H4 tail lysines, including ectopic lysines that restore repair capacity to a mutant H4 tail. Arp4, a protein that binds histone H4 tails and is part of the Esa1-contg. NuA4 HAT complex, is recruited specifically to ***DNA*** double-strand breaks that are generated in vivo. The purified Esa1-Arp4 HAT complex acetylates linear nucleosomal ***arrays*** with far greater efficiency than ***circular*** ***arrays*** in vitro, indicating that it preferentially acetylates nucleosomes near a break site. Together, our data show that histone tail acetylation is required directly for ***DNA*** repair and suggest that a related human HAT complex may function similarly.

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L7 ANSWER 3 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 2002:715961 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>>

DN 137:213205

TI Device for carrying out hybridization on microarrays containing an agitation unit and sample dispenser

PA Tecan Trading Ag, Switz.

SO Ger. Gebrauchsmusterschrift, 27 pp. CODEN: GGXXFR

DT Patent

LA German

PI DE 20207612 U1 20020919 DE 2002-20207612 20020515

PRAI DE 2002-20207612 20020515

AB The invention concerns a hybridization chamber for carrying out reactions on microarrays of ***DNA*** and proteins or tissues; the chamber is placed on the top of the ***microarray*** in a way that it can be ***circularly*** moved relative to the chip in order to agitate the liq. that is brought in contact with the probes that are immobilized on the chip. There is a ring sealing between the chip and the chamber; further parts are a sample application unit, fluid inflow and outflow tubes, thermostat, etc. Agitation can also be performed using a membrane pump.

L7 ANSWER 4 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 2002:624724 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>> DN 137:290499

TI Brownian motion of ***DNA*** confined within a twodimensional array AU Nykypanchuk, Dmytro; Strey, Helmut H.; Hoagland, David A. CS Department of Polymer Science an dEngineering, University

of Massachusetts Amherst, Amherst, MA, 01003, USA

SO Science (Washington, DC, United States) (2002), 297(5583), 987-990 CODEN: SCIEAS; ISSN: 0036-8075

PB American Association for the Advancement of Science

DT Journal

LA English

AB Linear ***DNA*** mols. are visualized while undergoing Brownian motion inside media patterned with mol.-sized spatial constraints. The media, prepd. by colloidal templating, trap the macromols. within a two-dimensional ***array*** of spherical cavities interconnected by ***circular*** holes. Across a broad ***DNA*** size range, diffusion does not proceed by the familiar mechanisms of reptation or sieving. Rather, because of their inherent flexibility, ***DNA*** mols. strongly localize in cavities and only sporadically "jump" through holes. Jumping closely follows Poisson statistics. By reducing ***DNA*** 's configurational freedom, the holes act as mol. wt.-dependent entropic barriers. Sterically constrained macromol. diffusion underlies many sepn. methods and assumes an important role in intracellular and extracellular transport.

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L7 ANSWER 5 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

AN 2001:644489 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>>

DN 135:206432

TI ***DNA*** array, ***DNA*** array reader, and ***DNA*** array-manufacturing apparatus

IN Iwasaki, Yutaka; Suzuki, Yoshihiko

PA Nikon Corp., Japan

SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 11 pp. CODEN: JKXXAF

DT Patent

LA Japanese

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PI JP 2001238674

A2 20010904 JP 2000-53312

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AB The conventional ***DNA*** array reader is accompanied with the problem of not being able to perform the reading with a high speed while maintaining a high S/N ratio such as the one gained with a confocal microscope system. A ***DNA*** array is provided, on which multiple spots of ***DNA*** probes immobilized on the baseplate are ***arrayed*** in a concentric ***circular*** shape, or a spiral shape. A ***DNA*** array reader is provided, which scans the spots of ***DNA*** probes with a high speed upon turning the array while maintaining a high S/N ratio. Diagrams describing the app. assembly are given.

L7 ANSWER 6 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 2001:319933 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>>

DN 134:348979

TI Protein and ***cDNA*** sequences of a novel human circular canal protein 69 and diagnostic and therapeutic uses thereof

IN Mao, Yumin; Xie, Yi

PA Shanghai Bio Road Gene Development Ltd., Peop. Rep. China

SO PCT Int. Appl., 32 pp. CODEN: PIXXD2

DT Patent

LA Chinese

PI WO 2001030823 A1 20010503 WO 2000-CN375 20001027 W: AE, AG, AL, AM, AT, AU, AZ, BA, BB, BG, BR, BY, BZ, CA, CH, CR, CU, CZ, DE, DK, DM, DZ, EE, ES, FI, GB, GD, GE, GH, GM, HR, HU, ID, IL, IN, IS, JP, KE, KG, KP, KR, KZ, LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, MA, MD, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, MZ, NO, NZ, PL, PT, RO, RU, SD, SE, SG, SI, SK, SL, TJ, TM, TR, TT, TZ, UA, UG, US, UZ, VN, YU, RW: GH, GM, KE, LS, AM, AZ, BY, KG, KZ, MD, RU, TJ, TM MW, MZ, SD, SL, SZ, TZ, UG, ZW, AT, BE, CH, CY, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, NL, PT, SE, BF, BJ, CG, CI, CM, GA, GN, GW, ML, MR, NE, SN, TD, TG CN 1303865 20010718 CN 1999-119866 19991027 PRAI CN 1999-119866 A 19991027 AB The invention provides protein and ***cDNA*** sequences for a novel human circular canal protein 69, which is a novel member of kelch protein family. The circular canal protein 69 shares sequence homol, with Drosophila kelch protein. The invention also relates to constructs and methods to express the cloned gene for the prepn. of its protein and antibodies using E.coli cells or eukaryotic cells, and diagnostic and therapeutic uses for circular canal protein 69 related diseases. THERE ARE 1 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR RE.CNT 1

L7 ANSWER 7 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 2001:266132 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>>

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DN 135:15553

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- TI SWI/SNF chromatin remodeling requires changes in ***DNA*** topology
- AU Gavin, Igor; Horn, Peter J.; Peterson, Craig L.
- CS Program in Molecular Medicine Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, University of Massachusetts Medical School, Worcester, MA, 01605, USA
- SO Molecular Cell (2001), 7(1), 97-104 CODEN: MOCEFL; ISSN: 1097-2765
- PB Cell Press
- DT Journal
- LA English

AB YSWI/SNF complex belongs to a family of enzymes that use the energy of ATP hydrolysis to remodel chromatin structure. Here we examine the role of ***DNA*** topol. in the mechanism of ySWI/SNF remodeling. We find that the ability of ySWI/SNF to enhance accessibility of nucleosomal ***DNA*** is nearly eliminated when ***DNA*** topol. is constrained in small ***circular*** nucleosomal ***arrays*** and that this inhibition can be alleviated by topoisomerases. Furthermore, we demonstrate that remodeling of these substrates does not require dramatic histone octamer movements or displacement. Our results suggest a model in which ySWI/SNF remodels nucleosomes by using the energy of ATP hydrolysis to drive local changes in ***DNA*** twist.

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- L7 ANSWER 8 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 2001:266131 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>> DN 135:15552
- TI RSC unravels the nucleosome
- AU Lorch, Yahli; Zhang, Mincheng; Kornberg, Roger D. CS Department of Structural Biology, Stanford School of Medicine, Stanford, CA, 94305, USA

- SO Molecular Cell (2001), 7(1), 89-95 CODEN: MOCEFL; ISSN: 1097-2765
- PB Cell Press
- DT Journal
- LA English
- AB RSC and SWI/SNF chromatin-remodeling complexes were previously reported to generate a stably altered nucleosome. We now describe the formation of hybrids between nucleosomes of different sizes, showing that the stably altered structure is a noncovalent dimer. A basis for dimer formation is suggested by an effect of RSC on the supercoiling of closed, ***circular***

 arrays of nucleosomes. The effect may be explained by the interaction of RSC with ***DNA*** at the ends of the nucleosome, which could lead to the release 60-80 bp or more from the ends. ***DNA*** released in this way may be trapped in the stable dimer or lead to alternative fates such as histone octamer transfer to another ***DNA*** or sliding along the same ***DNA*** mol.

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- L7 ANSWER 9 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN
- AN 2001:88435 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>>
- DN 135:177087
- TI Stability of a human SWI-SNF remodeled nucleosomal array AU Guyon, Jeffrey R.; Narlikar, Geeta J.; Sullivan, E. Kelly; Kingston, Robert E.
- CS Department of Molecular Biology, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA, 02114, USA
- SO Molecular and Cellular Biology (2001), 21(4), 1132-1144 CODEN: MCEBD4; ISSN: 0270-7306
- PB American Society for Microbiology
- DT Journal
- LA English
- SWI-SNF alters ***DNA*** -histone interactions within a AR nucleosome in an ATP-dependent manner. These alterations cause changes in the topol. of a closed ***circular*** nucleosomal ***array*** that persist after removal of ATP from the reaction. We demonstrate here that a remodeled closed ***array*** will revert toward its original ***circular*** topol. when ATP is removed, indicating that the remodeled array has a higher energy than that of the starting state. However, reversion occurs with a half-life measured in hours, implying a high energy barrier between the remodeled and std. states. The addn. of competitor ***DNA*** accelerates reversion of the remodeled array by more than 10-fold, and we interpret this result to mean that binding of human SWI-SNF (hSWI-SNF), even in the absence of ATP hydrolysis, stabilizes the remodeled state. In addn., we also show that SWI-SNF is able to remodel a closed ***circular*** ***array*** in the absence of topoisomerase I. demonstrating that hSWI-SNF can induce topol, changes even when conditions are highly energetically unfavorable. We conclude that the remodeled state is less stable than the std. state but that the remodeled state is kinetically trapped by the high activation energy barrier sepg. it from the unremodeled conformation.
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- L7 ANSWER 10 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 2000:494777 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>> DN 133:359597
- TI Mammalian artificial chromosome formation from circular alphoid input ***DNA*** does not require telomere repeats

AU Ebersole, Thomas A.; Ross, Andrew; Clark, Elma; McGill, Niolette; Schindelhauer, Dirk; Cooke, Howard; Grimes, Brenda CS MRC Human Genetics Unit, Western General Hospital, Edinburgh, EH4 2XU, UK

SO Human Molecular Genetics (2000), 9(11), 1623-1631 CODEN: HMGEE5; ISSN: 0964-6906

PB Oxford University Press

DT Journal

LA English

AB Mammalian artificial chromosomes (MACs) form in HT1080 cells after transfecting linear yeast artificial chromosome constructs minimally contq. competent alphoid arrays, a selectable marker and terminal human telomere repeats. Restrictions on the structure of input ***DNA*** in MAC formation were investigated by transfecting ***circular*** linear alphoid constructs with or without human telomere ***arrays*** and by varying the position and orientation of the telomere arrays on input linear constructs. Circular input ***DNA*** efficiently produced MACs. Absence of telomere ***arrays*** from ***circular*** input mols. did not significantly alter MAC formation rates. Linear constructs capped with telomere arrays generated MACs effectively, but a severe redn. in MAC formation was obsd. from linear constructs lacking telomere arrays. Human telomere arrays positioned 1-5 kb from linear construct ends and in either orientation were able to promote MAC formation with similar efficiencies. Both circular and linear input constructs generated artificial chromosomes that efficiently segregated in the absence of selection. Telomeres were not detected on the MACs, regardless of the inclusion of telomere ***arrays*** on input ***DNA***, suggesting that ***circular*** chromosomes were formed. We found no evidence for acquisition of host cell ***DNA*** , which is consistent with de novo chromosome assembly. RE.CNT 36 THERE ARE 36 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE

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L7 ANSWER 11 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 2000:305685 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>> DN 133:256642

TI Gene delivery with optimized electroporation parameters shows potential for treatment of gliomas

AU Yoshizato, Kimio; Nishi, Toru; Goto, Tomoaki; Dev, Sukhendu B.; Takeshima, Hideo; Kino, Takeshi; Tada, Kenji; Kimura, Takahiro; Shiraishi, Shoji; Kochi, Masato; Kuratsu, Jun-Ichi; Hofmann, Gunter A.; Ushio, Yukitaka

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SO International Journal of Oncology (2000), 16(5), 899-905 CODEN: IJONES; ISSN: 1019-6439

PB International Journal of Oncology

DT Journal

LA English

AB Electroporation, a std. lab. method of introducing exogenous mols. into cells, has been gaining importance as a very effective non-viral phys. technique of gene delivery. In this study, we have used s.c. model of the C6 rat glioma cells and established an optimal condition to obtain very high gene expression in tumor tissues using both reporter and functional genes. Tumors grown on the flanks of Wistar rats are exposed and directly injected with plasmid ***DNA*** having the constructs of luciferase, green fluorescent protein and, the 'A' fragment of the diphtheria toxin, DT-A. The tumors are then subjected to square wave pulses from an electroporator. Gene expression is found to be several orders of magnitude higher when the tumors are pulsed with the optimized elec. parameters compared to the

controls. For luciferase, the enhancement is .apprx.135-fold, for the green fluorescent protein, gene expression is seen over a wide area within the sections examd., as contrast to a few punctate dots in the control specimens, and finally, DT-A shows massive death in the tumor tissue. A special ***circular***

array of six needles through which pulses are delivered with rotating elec. field is found to be highly efficient in transferring genes inside the tumor. Direct injection of plasmid

DNA followed by electroporation allows very high in vivo gene transfer and its subsequent expression into tumor tissues. This method may be applicable to any solid tumor.

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L7 ANSWER 12 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 1999:549456 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>>

DN 131:154464

TI A capillary electrophoresis apparatus for use in ***nucleic*** ***acid*** sequencing

IN Merenkova, Irena N.; Brevnov, Maxim

PA Tetragen, S.A., Russia

SO PCT Int. Appl., 47 pp. CODEN: PIXXD2

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AB A capillary electrophoresis app. with a large no. of capillaries arranged in a curved, esp. ***circular*** , ***array*** that may be used in ***DNA*** sequencing is described. The app. requires little supervision and can be used in high throughput sequencing projects. The present invention also relates to methods of using the electrophoresis app. and methods of making the electrophoresis app.

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 $\boldsymbol{\Pi}$ $\;$ Structural analysis of adeno-associated virus transduction circular intermediates

AU Duan, Dongsheng; Yan, Ziying; Yue, Yongping; Engelhardt, John F.

CS Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology and Department of Internal Medicine, The University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA, 52242, USA

SO Virology (1999), 261(1), 8-14 CODEN: VIRLAX; ISSN: 0042-6822

PB Academic Press

DT Journal

LA English

AB Recombinant adeno-assocd. virus (rAAV) has recently been demonstrated to form circular intermediates following transduction in muscle tissue and cell lines. Although restriction enzyme and Southern blot anal. has revealed a consistent monomer and multimer head-to-tail conformation, detailed structural sequence anal. has been lacking due to the high secondary structure of the ITR arrays. To gain further insight into potential mechanisms by which AAV circular genomes are formed from linear single-stranded viral ***DNA*** , we have performed chem. sequencing of ITR ***arrays*** within seven ***circular*** intermediates independently isolated from primary fibroblasts and Hela cells. Results from these studies demonstrated several types of circular intermediates with mosaic ITR elements flanked by two D sequences. The most predominant form consisted of a structure similar to that of previously generated AAV double-D plasmids, with one complete ITR flanked by two D-region elements. However, intermediately deleted ITR arrays with more than one complete ITR were also seen. Based on this structural information, we have proposed a model for formation of AAV circular intermediates by recombination/ligation between ITR ends of panhandle singlestranded AAV genomes. (c) 1999 Academic Press. RE.CNT 20 THERE ARE 20 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE **FORMAT**

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TI The yeast silent information regulator Sir4p anchors and partitions plasmids

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DT Journal

LA English

****Circular*** plasmids contg. telomeric TG1-3 ***arrays*** or the HMR E silencer segregate efficiently between dividing cells of the yeast Saccharomyces cerevisiae. Subtelomeric X repeats augment the TG1-3 partitioning activity by a process that requires the SIR2, SIR3, and SIR4 genes, which are also required for silencer-based partitioning. Here we show that targeting Sir4p to ***DNA*** directly via fusion to the bacterial repressor LexA confers efficient mitotic segregation to otherwise unstable plasmids. The Sir4p partitioning activity resides within a 300-amino-acid region (residues 950 to 1262) which precedes the coiled-coil dimerization motif at the extreme carboxy end of the protein. Using a topol.-based assay, we demonstrate that the partitioning domain also retards the axial rotation of LexA operators in vivo. The anchoring and partitioning properties of LexA-Sir4p chimeras persist despite the loss of the endogenous SIR genes, indicating that these functions are intrinsic to Sir4p and not to a complex of Sir factors. In contrast, inactivation of the Sir4p-interacting protein Rap1p reduces partitioning by a LexA-Sir4p fusion. The data are consistent with a model in which the partitioning and anchoring domain of Sir4p (PAD4 domain) attaches to a nuclear component that divides sym. between cells at mitosis; ***DNA*** to Sir4p by LexA serves as a reporter of protein movement in these expts. We infer that the segregation behavior of telomereand silencer-based plasmids is, in part, a consequence of these Sir4p-mediated interactions. The assays presented herein illustrate two novel approaches to monitor the intracellular dynamics of nuclear proteins.

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TI Protein phosphatase 2A, a potential regulator of actin dynamics and actin-based organelle motility in the green alga

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DT Journal

LA English

The giant, unicellular alga Acetabularia is a well known exptl. model for the study of actin-dependent intracellular organelle motility. In the cyst stage, however, which is equiv. to the gametophytic stage, organelles are immobile, even though an actin cytoskeleton is present. The reason for the lack of organelle motility at this stage has not been known. To test the hypothesis that organelle motility could be under the control of posttranslational modification by protein phosphorylation, we have treated cysts with submicromolar concns. of okadaic acid or calyculin A, both potent inhibitors of serine/threonine protein phosphatases (ser/thr-PPases). The effects were dramatic: instead of linear actin bundles typical for control cysts, ***arrays*** of actin bundles formed in the ***circular*** cortical cyst cytoplasm. Concomitant with the formation of these actin rings, the cytoplasmic layers beneath the rings began to slowly rotate in a continuous and uniform counter-clockwise fashion. This effect suggests that protein phosphorylation acts on the actin cytoskeleton at two levels: (1) it changes the assembly properties of the actin filament system to the extent that novel cytoskeletal configurations are formed and (2) it raises the activity of putative motor proteins involved in the rotational movements to levels sufficiently high to support motility at a stage when organelle motility does not normally occur. Northern blot anal. of cyst stage-mRNA using probes specific to protein phosphatase type 1 (PP1) and type 2A (PP2A) reveals that PP2A is strongly expressed at this developmental stage whereas PP1 is not detectable, suggesting that PP2A is the likely target to the protein phosphatase inhibitors. As a first step in analyzing these regulatory proteins on the mol. level, we describe the complete sequence of a cyst-specific PP2A ***cDNA*** clone.

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TI Replication of an rRNA gene origin plasmid in the Tetrahymena thermophila macronucleus is prevented by transcription through the origin from an RNA polymerase I promoter

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DT Journal

LA English

AB In the somatic macronucleus of the ciliate Tetrahymena thermophila, the palindromic rRNA gene (rDNA) minichromosome is replicated from an origin near the cent. of the mol. in the 5' nontranscribed spacer. The replication of this rDNA minichromosome is under both cell cycle and copy no. control. We addressed the effect on origin function of transcription through this origin region. A construct contq. a pair of 1.9-kb tandem direct repeats of the rDNA origin region, contq. the origin plus a mutated (+G), but not a wild type, rRNA promoter, is initially maintained in macronuclei as an episome. Later, linear ***circular*** replicons with long ***arrays*** of tandem repeats accumulate (W.-J. Pan and E. H. Blackburn, ***Nucleic*** ***Acids*** Res. in press). We present direct evidence that the +G mutation inactivates this rRNA promoter. It lacks the footprint seen on the wild-type promoter and produces no detectable in vivo transcript. Independent evidence that the failure to maintain wild-type 1.9-kb repeats was caused by transcription through the origin came from placing a short ***DNA*** segment contq. the rRNA gene transcriptional termination region immediately downstream of the wild-type rRNA promoter. Insertion of this terminator sequence in the correct, but not the inverted, orientation restored plasmid maintenance. Hence, origin function was restored by inactivating the rRNA promoter through the +G mutation or causing termination before transcripts from a wild-type promoter reached the origin region. We propose that transcription by RNA polymerase I through the rDNA origin inhibits replication by preventing replication factors from assembling at the origin.

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TI Computer simulation of the directional displacement of rodshaped, arc-shaped, and ***circular*** objects in an ***array*** of obstacles, representing a simple model for the gel electrophoresis of small ***DNA***

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PB Wiley

DT Journal

LA English

The gel electrophoresis of ***DNA*** of identical length but various static conformations was simulated using a twodimensional model of the movement of rod-shaped, arc-shaped, and ***circular*** objects through random ***arrays** of disk-shaped obstacles. At low obstacle d., the displacement rate of these objects decreases from the rod-shaped to the circular approaches zero. The alignment of the arc-shaped objects along the axis of the directional movement of the objects was less than that achieved by the rod-shaped objects. Rodshaped and arc-shaped objects were retarded in their movement by collisions with the obstacles; the no. of collisions of the former, in view of their greater ability to align, was less than that of the latter. Circular objects were exclusively retarded by collisions, while the arc-shaped objects exhibited an additional retarding mechanism, viz. the suspension ("hanging") on the obstacles. When the rigid objects were made flexible, their displacement increased. The increase was most pronounced with the circular objects, allowing them to penetrate at obstacle densities from which the rigid objects were excluded.

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TI Matching electrostatic charge between ***DNA*** and coat protein in filamentous bacteriophage. Fiber diffraction of charge-deletion mutants

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DT Journal

LA English

The virion of the Ff (fd, f1, M13) filamentous bacteriophage consists of a long tube of coat protein subunits in a shingled, helical ***array*** , surrounding a genome of ***circular* single-stranded ***DNA*** . Modified fd virions have been generated by a mutation (K48A) that removes one pos. charge from each coat protein subunit in the C-terminal region of the polypeptide chain facing the ***DNA*** . The no. of nucleotides in the mutant ***DNA*** is unchanged, but the K48A virions are 35% longer than the wild type. The authors measured the X-ray diffraction attributable to single virions in hydrated gels of wild-type and K48A bacteriophages. Most of the diffraction pattern shows no significant difference between wildtype and K48A. Since the ***DNA*** is only about 12% different by wt. of the wild-type virion, the diffraction pattern is dominated by the protein contribution, and the absence of significant differences indicates that there are no significant changes in the symmetry or structure of the protein coat. But there is a change in the diffraction pattern in a region where the ***DNA*** and protein contributions are comparable. The diffraction pattern of the K48A mutant shows an increase in intensity of one of the weaker equatorial peaks, relative to the wild type, in a region where the protein contribution has a neg. sign but the ***DNA*** contribution has a pos. sign. This is consistent with a decrease in the ratio of ***DNA*** :protein per unit length of the K48A mutant. The results suggest that the protein forms a sheath lined with pos. charges interacting electrostatically and non-specifically with a neg. charged ***DNA*** core of matching charge d. The lower pos. charge d. lining the capsid in the K48A mutant means that correspondingly fewer nucleotides can be packaged per coat protein subunit, which in turn requires an elongation of the ***DNA*** inside the virion. A longer virion is thus required to package the same amt. of ***DNA*** . Within the error of measurement, the no. of pos. charges on the protein interacting with the ***DNA*** is the same in K48A as in the wild type, despite the fact that the mutant is 35% longer than the wild type.

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TI Adduct formation identification between phenyl glycidyl ether and 2'-deoxyadenosine and thymidine by chromatography, mass spectrometry and nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy AU Van den Eeckhout, E.; De Bruyn, A.; Pepermans, H.; Esmans, E. L.; Vryens, I.; Claereboudt, J.; Claeys, M.; Sinsheimer, J. E.

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SO Journal of Chromatography (1990), 504(1), 113-28 CODEN: JOCRAM; ISSN: 0021-9673

DT Journal

English LA

AB Thymidine and 2'-deoxyadenosine were treated with Ph glycidyl ether in order to study the formation of the corresponding 2'-deoxynucleoside adducts. Sepn. methods were elaborated using either reversed-phase HPLC with photodiode-***array*** detection, or centrifugal ***circular*** TLC. The adducts were isolated on a preparative scale and were fully characterized by UV spectroscopy, desorption chem. ionization and fast atom bombardment mass spectrometry and 270- and 360-MHz 1H NMR spectrometry. For thymidine the main adduct was characterized as N-3-(2-hydroxy-3-phenoxypropyl)thymidine. With 2'-deoxyadenosine, predominantly N-1-(2-hydroxy-3phenoxylpropyl)-2'-deoxyadenosine was formed. With longer reaction times, the formation of a minor amt. of dialkylated 2'deoxyadenosine was obsd. These nucleoside adducts will be used as marker compds, for studies of ***DNA*** adduct formation.

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DNA -protein interactions and ***DNA*** packaging in filamentous bacteriophages

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DT Journal

LA English

AB The filamentous phages fd (infecting Escherichia coli) and Pf1 (infecting Pseudomonas aeruginosa) have genomes of ***circular*** , single-stranded ***DNA*** surrounded by a tubular ***array*** of .alpha.-helical coat protein subunits. The process of phage assembly is essentially the same in the 2 viruses. An obvious difference between the fd and Pf1 coat proteins is in the clustering of pos. charged side chains (lysine and arginine residues) in the C-terminal regions. The lysine at position 48 of the C-terminus of the fd coat protein was successfully mutated to arginine and glutamine, demonstrating that a pos. charge at this site is not essential for phage assembly. Genetic engineering expts. showed that the Pf1 coat protein could not be used efficiently in fd virion assembly.

L7 ANSWER 21 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 1985:482492 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>> DN 103:82492

TI Restriction endonuclease map of pTiBo542, a potential Ti plasmid vector for genetic engineering of plants

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DT Journal

English

AB A phys. map was constructed for pTiBo542, a wide-hostrange tumor-inducing plasmid of Agrobacterium tumefaciens. Forty-two fragments generated by the restriction endonuclease BamHI were arranged in a ***circular*** ***arrav** using electrophoretic anal. of clones contg. overlapping segments of pTiBo542. The T- ***DNA*** region (the part of the Ti plasmid transferred to the plant) was predicted by its homol. to T- ***DNAs*** from heterologous octopine and nopaline Ti

plasmids. Southern hybridizations against soybean tumor ***DNA*** using clones from this region as probes confirmed this prediction.

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TI Involvement of circular intermediates in the transfer of T-***DNA*** from Agrobacterium tumefaciens to plant cells AU Koukolikova-Nicola, Zdena; Shillito, Raymond D.; Hohn, Barbara; Wang, Kan; Van Montagu, Marc; Zembryski, Patricia CS Friedrich-Miescher Inst., Basel, CH-4002, Peop. Rep. China SO Nature (London, United Kingdom) (1985), 313(5999), 191-6 CODEN: NATUAS; ISSN: 0028-0836 DT Journal

LA English

The transfer of T- ***DNA*** from the Ti plasmid of Agrobacterium tumefaciens to Nicotiana tabacum plant cells was examd, for the presence of T- ***DNA*** intermediates. A ***DNA*** transformation assay was used to confirm the presence of circular intermediates. The structures may originate from circularization of T- ***DNA*** during induction of its transfer. These ***circular*** structures could produce ***arrays*** or multimeric tandem T- ***DNA*** ***circular*** structures suitable for the .lambda. packaging reaction. The circular intermediate junction site occurs precisely within the 25-base-pair terminal sequence essential for T-***DNA*** transfer.

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TI Radiation and biophysical studies on cells and viruses, September 1, 1979-August 15, 1982

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SO Report (1982), DOE/EV/02832-232; Order No. DE83000760, 10 pp. Avail.: NTIS From: Energy Res. Abstr. 1983, 8(1), Abstr. No. 1045

DT Report

LA English

AB The objectives were to improve the understanding of the structure and organization of the chromatin of mammalian cells throughout the cell cycle, how radiation, chems., and heat damage these structures, and how cells repair the damage. Major accomplishments include evidence that chromatids contain 8 ***circular*** , duplex ***DNA*** mols. in a side-by-side ***array*** which are pleated to form loops by periodic attachments to a well-defined backbone structure. .gamma.-Rayinduced chromosomal damage was assayed as changes in the structure of dehistonized chromosomes. Bleomycin-induced damage to chromosomal loop structures was obsd., and heat treatment was shown to have affect on structural integrity.

L7 ANSWER 24 OF 24 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN AN 1983:31310 CAPLUS <<LOGINID::20061108>>

DN 98:31310

TI Injection of ***DNA*** into liposomes by bacteriophage .lambda.

AU Roessner, Charles A.; Struck, Douglas K.; Ihler, Garret M. CS Dep. Med. Biochem., Texas A and M Coll. Med., College Station, TX, 77843, USA

SO Journal of Biological Chemistry (1983), 258(1), 643-8

CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258

DT Journal

LA English

AB Small unilamellar vesicles (75-100 nm diam.) and large liposomes (>1 .mu.m in diam.) were prepd. contg. the lamB protein, an outer membrane protein of Escherichia coli and Shigella which serves as the receptor for bacteriophage .lambda.. Bacteriophage were obsd. to bind to these liposomes and vesicles by their tails and in most cases the heads of the bound bacteriophage appeared empty or partially empty of ***DNA*** . The .lambda. ***DNA*** was usually only partially ejected from the bacteriophage head when small unilamellar liposomes were used, presumably because the vesicles are too small to contain all the ***DNA*** . The partially ejected ***DNA*** was not susceptible to DNase unless the vesicle bilayer was 1st disrupted, suggesting that ***DNA*** injection of phage ***DNA*** into the vesicle had occurred. After disruption of these vesicles on electron microscope grids, the bacteriophage are seen to have partially empty heads and a small mass of ***DNA*** assocd. with their tails. Using larger liposomes prepd. by the fusion of lamBbearing vesicles with polyethylene glycol and n-hexyl bromide, the heads of most of the bound bacteriophage appeared to be completely empty of ***DNA*** . Disruption of these prepns. on electron microscope grids revealed ***circular*** ***arrays*** of empty-headed bacteriophage surrounding ***DNA*** which had apparently been contained within the intact liposomes. Apparently high mol. wt. ***DNA*** can be entrapped within liposomes with high efficiency by ejection from bacteriophage .lambda.. The possible use of these ***DNA*** -contq. liposomes to facilitate gene transfer in eukaryotic cells is discussed.

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